

July 06, 2025

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture readings is # **989** in the **Journey Songs Hymnal**

“Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.”

The Fall of Satan

In Jewish tradition “Satan” is the name given to the evil spirit who accuses and prosecutes human beings before God, demanding the strongest penalties, unmitigated by Mercy. Jesus had a vision in which he saw “Satan fall like lightning from Heaven.” Who takes Satan’s place?

The answer is the “Paraclete”, a Greek word for an Advocate. This is one of the roles of the Holy Spirit who pleads on our behalf for Mercy which, as Shakespeare put it, then falls on us “as the gentle rain from Heaven.”

As disciples, we have to imitate the Paraclete, not Satan. We have to temper our drive to see “the punishment fit the crime.” How often do we relish seeing a person squirm with no offer of a way out, no hint of mercy or forgiveness so that he or she can draw breath, undo some of the damage done, and get back on track to a better life?

We might pause for a moment to thank God that our names are not being listed by Satan in an indictment but rather, through the Holy Spirit, are being entered in the Book of the Saved so that we might “Rejoice, for your names are written in Heaven.”

Fr. Michael Tate

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Weekend Contributions:

St. John's June 29, 2025

Envelopes: \$ 805.00
Plate: \$ 980.00
Peter's Pence \$ 145.00

Holy Rosary June 29, 2025

Envelopes: \$ 140.00
Plate: \$ 153.00
Peter's Pence \$ 50.00

Mass Intentions

We have openings for Mass Intentions.
\$10.00 per Mass
Contact the Parish Office
(218) 387-1409 or stop by
Monday - Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Saint John's Catholic Church - Grand Marais

Holy Rosary Catholic Church - Grand Portage

10 East 5th Street, P.O. Box 549, Grand Marais, MN 55604

Parish Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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Saint John's — Grand Marais

Monday 8:15 a.m.	Weekday +Mass	07/07/25
Tuesday 7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m.	Weekday Rosary +Mass	07/08/25
Wednesday 8:15 a.m.	Weekday + Mass	07/09/25
Thursday 7:45 a.m. 8:15 a.m.	Weekday Rosary + Mass	07/10/25
Friday 8:15 a.m.	St. Benedict, Abbot + Mass	07/11/25
Saturday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	07/12/25
10:00-11:00 a.m. 4:00-4:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Sacrament of Penance Sacrament of Penance + Mass — <i>Jan Troy</i>	
Sunday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	07/13/25
8:00-8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Sacrament of Penance +Mass — <i>Michael Tierney</i>	

Holy Rosary — Grand Portage

Sunday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	07/13/25
11:30 a.m.	+Mass — <i>For the People</i>	

Liturgical Roles for St. John's

Saturday, July 5th:

Lector: Kevin Hanson

Eucharistic Ministers: Maggie Waldrop, Dennis Waldrop, **NEED**

Ushers: Ben Petz, Harvey Sobieck

Sunday July 6th:

Lector: Jack Stone

Eucharistic Ministers: Linda Bauer, Ken Wielinski, Michelle Lewis

Ushers: Douglas Hurth, Charlie LaBoda

Saturday, July 12th:

Lector: Bill Burkhardt

Eucharistic Ministers: Maggie Waldrop, Dennis Waldrop, **NEED**

Ushers: Mark Quello, Jerry Kohl

Sunday July 13th:

Lector: Mike Bauer

Eucharistic Ministers: Linda Bauer, Francis Toms, Michelle Lewis

Ushers: Marina Groth, Mike LaVigne

Scripture Readings for 07/13/25

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

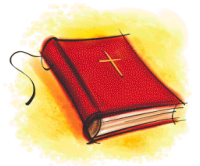
Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Colossians 1:15-20

Luke 10:25-37

Please Pray For...

We pray for all parishioners facing life-threatening illnesses or battling mental health challenges. May they find peace, strength, and the deep comfort of God's healing presence.



Pope's Intention for July For Formation in Discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

Born in the central Italian mountain town of Norcia (Nursia) around AD 480, St. Benedict became one of the most important catalysts for the creation of a new European culture after the fall of the Roman Empire in the West (traditionally dated to AD 476).

